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1. In early July 1952, in order to provide young recruits for the army and to reeducate many of the Chinese in North Korea who were believed to be anti-Communists, the Chinese Communist Embassy in P'yongyang issued an order that all Chinese residents were to return to China.
2. Each Chinese family was to be given an allowance of 5 kilograms of flour and to be given free truck and train transportation to their destination. The Embassy had planned that the evacuation would be completed by 30 October 1952, but on 10 December, about one-third of the Chinese population had still failed to return to China.

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